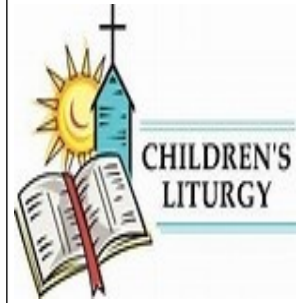




PARISH OF THE HOLY REDEEMER, DUNDALK
 8TH MARCH 2020
 SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT
 A Parish in the 'Dun Dealgan' Pastoral Area



CHILDRENS LITURGY an additional session takes place this Sunday 8th March and again on 29th March at the 11.30am Mass and will take place fortnightly thereafter, as requested. Children's liturgy is a program for children from 1st class up until First Holy Communion to learn a deeper understanding of the liturgy of the Mass and its importance within the Mass. This is achieved through reading the Sunday Gospel which has been adapted for children to help them develop an insight into the relevance of the word in their own life. The children will complete some puzzles and answer questions to help reinforce the Gospel message. This all takes place in a relaxed environment so that the children enjoy the sessions.



TROCAIRE This weekend we will have volunteers from Trócaire to speak at all Masses in relation to this year's Lenten Campaign "Hold fast for Love and Justice". We welcome them to our Parish and thank them for their time. Trócaire Boxes can be collected from the back of the Church.



CONGRATULATIONS to the boys and girls of St. Brigid's Special School who received their First Confession on Wednesday 4th March.

CHILDREN OF THE EUCHARIST

Led by the Legion of Mary will take place on Monday next 9th March in the Church at 1.00pm.

FOLLOW JESUS THROUGH THE STATIONS OF THE CROSS Every Wednesday during Lent in the Church, commencing Wednesday 4th March at 7.00pm. All are warmly welcome.



BAPTISMS are conducted fortnightly at 12:00 noon on a Saturday and at 12:30pm on a Sunday (these times may change if a funeral is taking place). Call to the parish office to arrange a day and time for the Baptism. Please give at least one month's notice. We welcome into our community those recently baptised:- Keely Rose Lawlor-Smith. Cillian Fionn McKeever. Hayley Veronica Corbett. Clara Mae Brady.



A SECOND COLLECTION will be taken up at all Masses this weekend to build up parish funds for future maintenance.

CHURCH GATE COLLECTION next weekend 14th/15th March is in aid of Cystic Fibrosis. We thank you for your support.

EASTER DUES 2020 Will be collected over the coming weeks. These dues are for the upkeep of the priests who serve this parish. We are grateful to all the dues collectors for their work and the generous support of the parishioners. Dues books and envelopes are available for collection in the sacristy. Over the past year there has been a decline in the number of our dues collectors and unfortunately, we have been unsuccessful obtaining new volunteers. In light of this, in the areas where there is no collector we will be distributing an envelope to each household asking them to return same, with their donation to the Sacristy/Parochial House or to person who delivered the envelope to them (name and address will be provided on envelope). Your co-operation with this new method of dues collection is greatly appreciated. Thank you.

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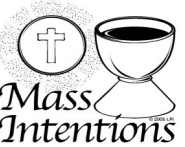
PARISH OFFICE HOURS
 Monday - Thursday 10am-1pm. 2pm-4pm.
 E-mail: holyredeemerdundalk@gmail.com
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PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL MISSION STATEMENT:

"Conscious of our brokenness and moved by the Spirit of Compassion, we the Holy Redeemer Parish Pastoral Council, strive to be messengers of God's healing and love in today's world and to encourage and support all parishioners to bear witness to the Gospel of Christ."

Anniversary and remembrance Masses

Saturday	7th March	6.00pm	Av's	Kevin & Kathleen Murphy & deceased members of the Minto Family. Anthony Humston. Rosemary Fearon. Bridie & Bill Stephens & Daughters Margaret, Bernie & Mary. Terry Beagan. Mary Frances Ladley (Birthday Remembrance)
Sunday	8th March	10.00am	Av's	Betty & Stephen McGivern.
		11.30am	Av	Jimmy Bellew.
		6.00pm	Av's	Michéal & Thomas English.
Monday	9th March	10.00am		The Holy Souls
Tuesday	10th March	10.00am		Special intention.
Wednesday	11th March	10.00am	RIP	Joan O'Brien
Thursday	12th March	10.00am	RIP	Bernie Toal
Friday	13th March	10.00am	RIP	Tommy Baldwin.
Saturday (Vigil)	14th March	10.00am	Av's	Maura Crosby & Deceased family members.
		6.00pm	1st Av	Ian Brown
			Av's	Joseph & Eileen Gorman.
Sunday	15th March	10.00am		Tommy Dunne
		11.30am	Av	Patrick O'Hare, Gertrude Nordone
		6.00pm	Av's	& James McGahon.



WE REMEMBER THOSE WHO HAVE DIED Mary Murphy (née Malone), Ard Easmuinn. Frank Boland, Late of Marian Park. Muriel Clarke (née Roddy) Ashling Park. Kathleen Fee (née Duffy) Mary St. North. Marie Kampes (née Byrne) Bay Estate. Leo O'Callaghan, Haggardstown. Anne O'Driscoll (née McKeown) Doylesfort Grove.



LENTEN TALKS The Holy Spirit is sometimes thought of as the Cinderella of the Trinity, because we tend to speak more about God the Father or Jesus, His Son. Perhaps the older term, The Holy Ghost, has something to do with a lack of engagement or clarity around the third person of the Trinity. If you would like to learn more about the Holy Spirit in a relaxed and friendly environment. Dr. Tony Hanna will present a series of talks in The Oratory, Carroll Village on the four Wednesdays of March (4th, 11th, 18th and 25th) at 7.30pm. All are welcome!

RESOURCE CENTRE LOTTO Lotto 2nd March 2020: 4, 8, 17, 27. No jackpot winner. 1 match 3 winner receives €300. Next Parish Bingo **Monday 9th LOTTO March** at 8.00pm. Jackpot €11,350. Flyer €4,225.

CHRISTIAN MEDITATION takes place every Wednesday night at 7.00pm in the Church. All are welcome

WEEKLY FINANCIAL REPORT	TOTAL	CHURCH	ENVELOPE
Parish collection 1st March 2020 <i>Thank You!</i>	€1,484.22	€734.15	€750.07

SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN AND VULNERABLE ADULTS POLICY STATEMENT: The parish recognises and upholds the rights of all children and vulnerable adults and is committed to ensuring their safety and wellbeing at all times. A copy of the policy is always available for those who wish to view it in the parish office or the Sacristy. The Safeguarding Children representative for Holy Redeemer Parish is Thomas Fox 042-93-34259.



